



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Applicants provide the present Response to Election Requirement to address the issues raised in the Official Action mailed October 4, 2004.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.